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Hanover Co. Buys Stowell Mill

This Week

Paragraphs of the Week

With lobsters, clam and scallops leading, Maine fishermen had a fish catch, in December, amounting to a wholesale value of \$170,071.82, Sea and Shore Fisheries Commissioner A. R. Greenleaf reports.

The "City of Flint," which was the center of international attention while being herded about European waters by Nazi captors, reached Baltimore Jan. 27. Her crew is expected to celebrate the safety of home after being confined to the ship without pay since Oct. 3.

Speaking before the Penobscot County Women's Republican Club last Friday W. H. Deering, Maine's State Budget Officer, accused the National government of "using the dictator methods in its efforts to control the policies and activities of the states." He says the Washington officials use withdrawal and refusal of Federal aid as a "gun at the back of the neck" if any branch of state government disagrees with Federal demands.

Ralph Hilton, 30, of St. Albans was found guilty of manslaughter and criminal assault in the death of Phyllis Jane Rumery, 13. Justice William H. Fisher sentenced him to 12 years on the assault and 10 to 20 years for manslaughter, the latter sentence to start as soon as the former is completed.

C. C. Harvey, publisher of the Fort Fairfield Review 40 years, died at his home January 25, aged 73 years. He was widely known in newspaper work, serving as president of the Maine Press Association in 1918.

Dr. Francis E. Townsend will have offered in Congress new legislation for his "\$200 a month" pension plan. His new proposal calls for repeal of the present Social Security Act and adoption of his plan, involving a tax on incomes over \$250 a month instead of his original idea for a transactions tax.

Governor Lewis O. Barrows reports theft of a paper, dealing with the state's financial condition, from the office of state auditor Elbert D. Hayford and an attempt to enter the locked office of State Controller William H. Runnells, "several days ago."

Mrs. Althea G. Quimby, 81, who retired in October from 25 years active service as president of the Maine W. C. T. U., is in the Maine General Hospital, Portland. She received fractures of a shoulder, leg and elbow when struck by an automobile Sunday night. Her condition was reported as "fair."

The Civil Aeronautics Authority has approved construction of an airport at Norway. Work will start at once under the supervision of the National Youth Administration, which will furnish \$2,256 in labor. The Norway Flying Club will supply the balance, \$1,000, in materials and equipment.

The U. S. Treasury department is preparing to collect federal income taxes from state and local government officials this year for the first time. Treasury spokesmen announced such employees number 2,621,318. Due to their low average salaries of \$2500 less than \$20,000-000 is expected as tax yield.

The annual roll call, meeting and parish supper of the Congregational Church was held Wednesday evening.

SO. PORTLAND TRUCK DRIVER LUCKY IN TRAIN CRASH

While crossing the tracks at the Bethel Grand Trunk station Wednesday morning an empty International truck, Portland bound, was thrown some 30 feet when struck by the west bound express train. When it stopped the truck was headed in the opposite direction and was on the siding near the section house. After being towed from between the rails, it proceeded under its own power. Damage to the truck apparently was mostly confined to the rear of the body, while the locomotive headlight was smashed and braces were bent.

The driver of the truck, Leon S. Calef of South Portland, was unharmed except where he was thrown against the steering wheel during the violent encounter. The truck is owned by Cobb & Shackford, Inc., of Portland, who operate a fleet of trucks between that city and Berlin.

Meeting the truck on the crossing was a Ford sedan driven by Stephen Abbott of Middle Intervale, with Herman Mason as a passenger. The locomotive missed this car by a few inches. According to witnesses the crossing warning signal was in operation and the train whistle was sounded as usual.

CAR BREAKS OFF GAS PUMP

A Chevrolet coupe, driven by Miss Beatrice Brown, backed into a gasoline pump at the Amoco Service Station of Gardiner Brown on Railroad Street Saturday evening, breaking the pump connections and electric wiring. The resulting blaze, caused by gasoline flowing from the broken pipe and the electrical current from the broken wires, threatened to be a serious matter when the efforts of Mr. Brown with two extinguishers were of little avail. Two members of the fire department responded with the pumper, and the fire was finally controlled with three extinguishers. The loss which was confined to the pump is said to be about \$300.

BOOKS RECEIVED AT BETHEL LIBRARY

No Arms, No Armour,	Fiction
Robert Henriques	
Captain Horatio Hornblower,	
C. E. Forester	
Free and Clear,	
Marguerite McIntyre	
The Sister of the Angels,	
Elizabeth Goudge	
Escape,	Ethel Vance
The Great Tradition,	
Frances Parkinson Keyes	
The North's Meet Murder,	
Frances & Richard Lockridge	
Death at the Bar, Ngalo Marsh	
Let the People Sing, J. B. Priestly	
Riders of Buck River,	
William MacLeod Raine	
Gunsmoke in the Hills,	
Ray Palmer Tracy	
Finland, the New Nation,	Non-Fiction
Agnes Rothery	
Imperial Twilight, the Story of	
Karl and Lita of Hungary,	
Bertila Harding	
Juvenile	
Harnabi's Children	Felix Salten
Girls	
Dick Prescott's Second Year at	
West Point, H. Irving Hancock	
Given by Rodney Waterhouse	
The Strangers Gate,	
E. P. Oppenheim	
Given by Mrs. Lester Eoman	
Forty-seven volumes of fiction given	
by P. R. Burns	

DOWEL CONCERN WILL OPERATE IN BETHEL MILL, IDLE 4 YEARS

Good news for Bethel this week is the purchase Monday of the local mill property of the Stowell-MacGregor Corporation by the Hanover Dowel Company. The deal follows some two months negotiations following the destruction of the company's mill at Hanover by fire on the afternoon of Nov. 25.

Although trucks started hauling birch to the mill on Tuesday, it will of necessity be some time before operations here will be started. For several weeks the company has had a dowel machine, a pin machine and a planer in operation in the plant of Newton & Tebbets at West Bethel, to care for their orders until permanent quarters were secured. This machinery with other equipment will be installed in the local mill as soon as possible.

Nearly all of the machinery used by the Stowell-MacGregor Corporation had been removed, but included in the deal were the shafting, boiler, two engines and two motors. It is understood that electric power will probably be used for a time, and at the beginning not more than eight or ten men will be employed.

The company's product is confined to dowels and glue pins, and they had enjoyed a flourishing business at their Hanover plant. A large amount of finished goods and stock in process of manufacture was saved from the Hanover fire, so they will be in a good position to resume production here.

Officers of the company are: president and treasurer, Chesley F. Saunders; vice-president, Addison Saunders; secretary and clerk, Addie Saunders.

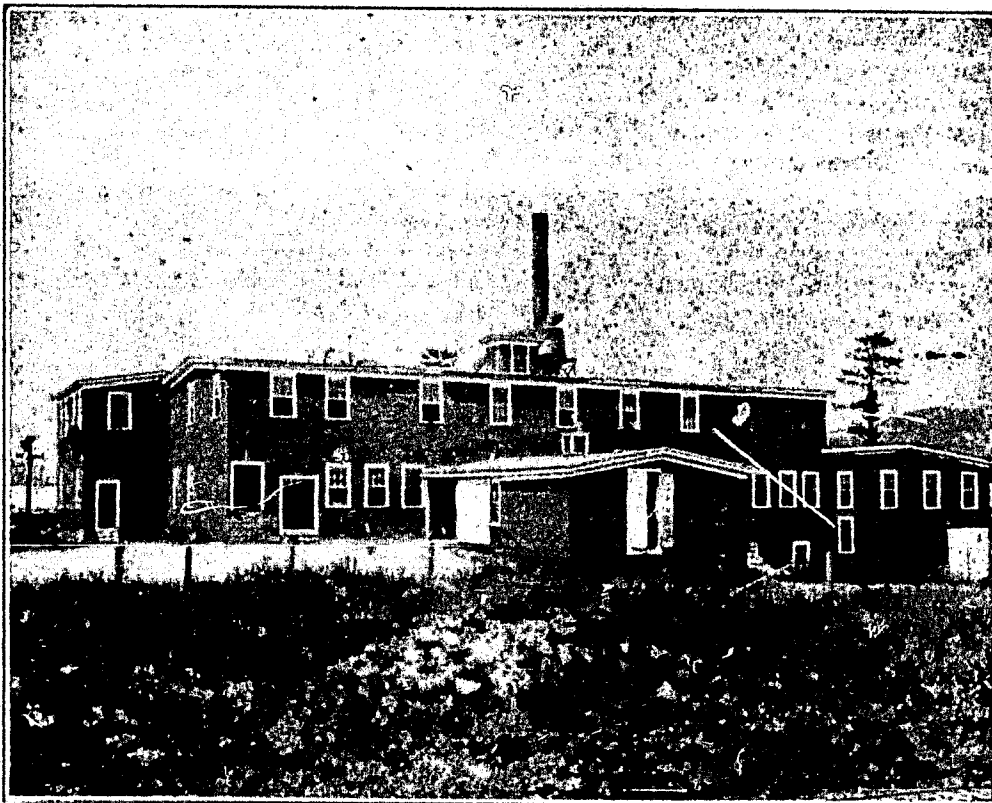
The new quarters of the Hanover company were built by the Merrill, Springer Company in the summer of 1938. Their mill at West Bethel was burned on March of that year, and that spring they also erected a birch mill at West Bethel. By vote of the town both mills were exempt from taxation for a term of years. The plant of the Bethel Light Company was included in the Bethel mill.

After completion the mill was in active operation until Oct. 26, 1935, and since that date has been idle, although when closed it was said to be one of the most modern and best equipped of the company's mills. Through the years spoils were the principal product, although large quantities of dowels and hardwood novelties were also manufactured. The mill was in the hands of the Merrill, Springer Company until about 16 years ago, when it was purchased by N. S. Stowell & Co., later becoming part of the Stowell-MacGregor properties.

The property includes about eight acres of land; a two-story mill 36x100 feet, with basement; several storerooms and ample office space, also dry house, engine and boiler rooms, and truck shed, all attached to the main mill, besides several large dry sheds. The plant is equipped with a complete blower system and a modern sprinkler system.

Miss Mary Cutler is in Berlin for several days, called there by the illness and death of her father, Edward Cutler.

Carl Davis, Arthur Cutler and William Chapman were in Portland Tuesday evening to attend the "Dr. I. Q." program.



BETHEL PLANT OF THE HANOVER DOWEL COMPANY

VARIETY SHOWER FOR MISS THURSTON

Miss Josephine Thurston was given a surprise variety shower at her home Friday evening in honor of her approaching marriage. The party was planned by Mrs. Robert Rose, who read an original poem for the occasion. The refreshments included a shower cake made by Mrs. John Fuller. Those who assisted in serving were Mrs. Wade Thurston, Mrs. Alfred Taylor, Miss Christie Thurston, Miss Stephanie Gubis, Miss Frances Morrill, Miss Mary Sanborn, Miss Virginia Bean, Miss Florine Bean, Miss Ruby Jodrey, Mrs. John Fuller, Mrs. Ralph Young, Mrs. Hugh Thurston, Miss Carrie Wight.

Others present were Mrs. Roy Moore, Mrs. Philip Chapman, Mrs. Tom Brown, Mrs. Norris Brown, Mrs. Tena Thurston, Mrs. Harry Jordan, Mrs. A. D. Forbes, Mrs. Harry Lyon, Miss Arlene Rolfe, Mrs. Walter Jodrey, Mrs. Gilbert Brown, Mrs. Perry Lapham, Mrs. Arthur Cutler, Mrs. Mabel Beckler, Mrs. Carroll Abbott, Miss Julia Brown, Miss Beatrice Brown, Mrs. Leroy Hamlin, Mrs. R. R. Tibbets, Mrs. Laurence Lord, Mrs. E. P. Brown, Mrs. Charles Gorman, Mrs. Dellison Conroy, Mrs. Arthur Garber, Mrs. Merton Conner, Mrs. Dana Philbrook, Mrs. William Chapman and Miss Helen Beckler.

GOULD TRAVELS TO FRYEBURG FRIDAY

The Gould Varsity and Second team will travel to Fryeburg Friday to play its second game with the teams of that school. The game will start at 3 p. m. The local boys have one victory over Fryeburg but will have plenty trouble bringing home a victory on the opponents' home floor. The Academy boys realize they must win every game to stay in the Conference race and are going into the battle bent on winning it possible.

BASKETBALL

GOULD vs. SOUTH PARIS H. S.

GOULD GIRLS vs. SOUTH PARIS H. S. GIRLS

WED., FEB. 7

Games at 7:15 and 8:50

Wm. Blagham Gym. Adm. 25c

HANOVER TOWN REPORT WINS MERIT CERTIFICATE

The Town of Hanover was awarded a Certificate of Merit by the Maine Municipal Association for the excellence of their 1938-39 report. Out of 25 similar awards in the State this was the only town in Oxford County to be thus honored.

Incidentally this report was printed in the Citizen office, as all reports of that town have been.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Bobby Blake was given a party at his home Monday afternoon by his mother, Mrs. Robert Blake, in honor of his fourth birthday. The dining room was decorated in pink and white. Enjoyable features of the party were a Jack Horner pie and a birthday cake decorated with candles.

Guests were his playmates on Paradise Street: Leo Carroll, Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven, Lois Ann Van Den Kerckhoven, Patsy O'Brien, Billy O'Brien, Russell Nutting, Nancy Van Den Kerckhoven and Joan Conner. Mrs. Alton Carroll, Mrs. Harold Nutting and Mrs. Merton Conner were present.

EAST AND WEST

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Through the story of their fight to win Lynn Harding runs a thread of intrigue that adds excitement to every chapter.

"East and West" is one of Talbot Mundy's most exciting, glamorous stories.

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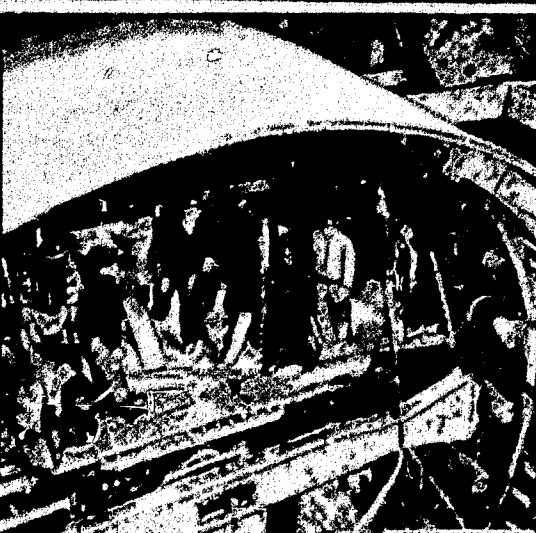
People and Spots in the Late News



YOUNGISH STYLE... J. Wylie McCaffrey, aged 4, is shown modeling latest thing in sporty togs for the very young man—green gabardine jodhpurs, with vest and cap of same material, with very informal sweater underneath.



DIKES ON DEFENSE... Natural ally of Holland, caught between principals in European war, is quickness with which her lowlands shown in this striking air view could be flooded, by opening dikes, to thwart invading army. All Dutch wartime stations were brought to top strength as border tension grew.



'BISCUIT-CUTTER'... That's what they call this giant cylinder shown (rear view) as it forced its way through clay to carve way for new Chicago subway. Operating under pressure of 4,800 tons, with each lunge it takes a "bite" 33 inches deep and 25 feet in diameter. This is first job such a machine has ever tackled.



PEANUT PRINCESS... Garbed in flowing gown made of peanuts, Miss Emily Cross of Suffolk, Va., receives from John B. Pinner an all-peanut crown to symbolize her reign over National Peanut Week, in which chain food stores throughout nation help growers move bumper crop estimated at nearly one and a half billion pounds.



TEA WAGON, 1940... Mid-winter furniture shows brought new surge of "modified modern" styles, with more extensive use of glass, leading examples being this streamlined tea wagon with plate glass shelves, and all-glass coffee table. Gilbert Rohde creations. Trend toward modern pieces easily combinable with traditional furnishings was marked.

WEST PARIS

The Alumni Young People's Christian Union service at the Universalist Church Sunday morning was largely attended. The service was very impressive. Those taking part were: Responsive reading: Abner H. Mann, Scripture: Harold C. Perham, Invocation: Rev. Eleanor D. Forbes, Solo: Walter L. Inman, Sermon: Miss Muriel Scribner, Sermon: Stanley I. Perham.

The offering was given to the General Convention.

The Good Will Society held an all day meeting Thursday at the home of Rev. Eleanor D. Forbes for work. Fifteen members enjoyed a bountiful dinner and in the afternoon held a social hour with mystery packages.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Penley were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Penley.

West Paris Lodge, I. O. O. F., held an initiation at their regular meeting, Wednesday evening.

The firemen's Beano was well attended Friday evening.

Mrs. James Wright is improving slowly from an illness of several weeks.

Mrs. Taylor of Brookline, Mass., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Ruth Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gammon at-

tended the funeral of Mrs. Frank Stevens at Bethel Jan. 21.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Grover and Mrs. Lena Redding, who are wintering in Falmers, Florida are glad to learn they are well and enjoying a very fine winter.

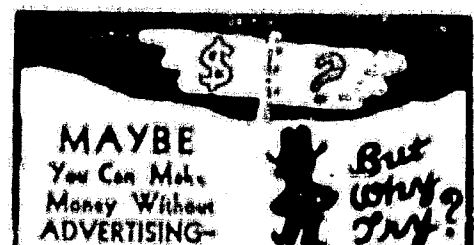
Thomas Gouthier, the tailor, who came here from Norway four or five years ago and rented a small shop of C. P. Dunham, has gone to a hospital.

There was a good crowd out to

the pictures at the Grange Hall last Saturday night. The next regular meeting of the Grange will be an all day meeting, Feb. 10.

Mr. Dunn of Oxford has been assigned to this railroad station as agent to take the place of M. E. Williams.

Mr. Norman Bisbee and son, Douglas, are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Annie Rowe, before going to Norway to live.



YOUR CHILD....

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UPTON

Richard Marshall was married in Bangor to Miss Betty Raynes of that city last Saturday. He returned on Monday this week with his bride. They will reside in the new camp he has built recently, for the remainder of this winter. He is clerking for his father.

Miss Etta Barnett of Stephens High School was home over the week-end.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Georgia Pratt at her home last Thursday.

Mrs. Elsie Douglass is in the Clinic Hospital in Berlin, N. H., a few days for treatment.

Mrs. Esther Williamson spent a few days last week in Bethel with her mother, who has been ill.

A C. E. social was held at the home of C. A. Judkins last Thursday evening.

The Happy 4-H club met Saturday, Jan. 27 at the home of the Assistant Leader, Mrs. Mary Vall. The preparation of vegetable dinners was taken up under the direction of Miss Doris Rosen, County Club Leader. All members helped in preparing refreshments.

A meeting of the Girls' 4-H Club was held after school, Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Hinckley, who taught the girls how to can in tin cans.

The Grange had five tables of whist in play at the home of Frank Vail last Friday evening. High scores went to Miss Doris Bernier and John G. Manter. Annie Barnett and Charlie Brown received consolation prizes.

Mrs. B. L. Judkins has been spending two weeks in Andover with the family of her son, Perry.

Mrs. Mary Angove is home from Farmington where she has been working this winter.

Fourteen people from Berlin and Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Waldron of South Paris spent the week-end at their respective camps, enjoying skiing and other winter sports.

The Boy Scouts met last week at the home of Ban Barnett. They had no meeting this week.

Rev. John G. Manter is attending convocation services at Bangor this week.

Efforts are being made to organize a church choir.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Trimm of Portland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Harrington Sunday.

F. S. Cotton was the guest of his granddaughter, Mrs. T. R. Carter, Sunday.

Mrs. James Croteau and sons of Bethel called on Mrs. Paul Croteau and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carter and son called on Mrs. Fannie Carter at Bethel Sunday evening.

Mrs. B. L. Harrington and children spent Sunday at her brother's, E. O. Cummings'.

LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Frank Ring visited her son, Henry Walker, and wife at Portland over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cotton and two children of Mechanic Falls visited at Lewis Cole's Sunday.

Edith Mason, who works at Oxford, was a guest at Charles Mason's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lister attended Grange installation at Stoneham, Mass., Saturday.

Frederick Scribner of Dixfield called on Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fiske Sunday.

EAST BETHEL

Six tables of whist were enjoyed at the party held at the home of Mrs. E. A. Billings Wednesday evening, Jan. 24th. Mrs. Urban Bartlett and Granville Burns won first prizes. The next party is to be held Jan. 31 at Mrs. Chester Kimball's at Locke Mills. These whist parties are for the benefit of the Farm Bureau.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Burns of Norway were in town Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Newton and Carlene Dorey were in Andover Sunday. Eugene Burns tended store during their absence.

At the 63 party Saturday evening in the Grange Hall, Miss Deborah Farwell and Guy Bartlett won first prizes and Mrs. Marjorie Billings and Mr. Lafevre won consolation prizes. The next 63 party will be held February 10 at the Grange Hall.

Miss Frances Morrill was the week-end guest of Miss Alta Brooks at Guy Bartlett's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hastings and family were in Greenwood City Sunday.

Donald Kimball has been ill the past week and unable to attend school at Gould Academy.

Billy Hastings was ill Thursday and Friday and out of school.

John Howe was ill with a bad cold Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Bartlett has been ill with a cold but is now some better.

Norman Johnson and John Sigbee of Bates College, Lewiston, were dinner guests Sunday of Rodney Howe. They had purchased Donald Kimball's old Model T Ford and were up Sunday to drive it back to Lewiston. Rather cold riding in an open car with the top down.

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—FRIDAY-SATURDAY—

Homeless		Spanish	
CHUCK ROAST	lb. 23c	SALTED PEANUTS	lb. 19c
Homeless Brisket		HOMETOWN KISSES	lb. 15c
CORNER BEEF	lb. 17c	Kellogg's	
Clover		CORN FLAKES	pkg. 7c
SLICED BACON	lb. 19c	Woodbury's	One Bar Free
White Crisp		FACIAL SOAP	3 bars 30c
CELERY	2 bch. 25c	IGA Medium Size	
Sold Fresh		PRUNES	2 lb. pkg. 15c
ICEBERG LETTUCE	2 for 15c	IGA Silvalaska Pink	
Florida		SALMON	tall can 15c
TEMPLE ORANGES	doz. 25c	IGA Red	
Cape Cod		SALMON	tall can 23c
CRANBERRIES	lb. 15c	Full Cream	
Buy Them by the Bag		CHEESE	lb. 29c
ORANGES		MACARONI or SPAGHETTI	2 lbs. bulk 12c
8 lb. Mesh Bag 29c		Sunny Morn	
GRAPEFRUIT		COFFEE	lb. 15c 3 lb. bag 39c
10 lb. Mesh Bag 39c		IGA Malted	
		POD RUN PEAS	2 cans 29c

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Preliminary School Prize be held at the Woodstock P. ing, were held five, six, seven day and Thursday contests five and six, first; Elwood Stowell, fifth; Hathaway, first; cond; grades boys: Gardn worth Hath Mills, altern Evans, first; Arlene Swan, were Mrs. An chy Dunbar Killop.

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Preliminaries for the Grade School Prize speaking contest, to be held at the meeting of the Woodstock P. T. A. Thursday evening, were held for pupils of grades five, six, seven and eight Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. Winning contestants were, for grades five and six, boys: Burton Perham, first; Elwood Wing, second; Dexter Stowell, alternate; girls: Alice Hathaway, first; Sally Stowell, second; grades seven and eight, boys: Gardner Cole, first; Ellsworth Hathaway, second; Robert Mills, alternate; girls: Bernice Evans, first; Marolin Ladd, second; Arlene Swan, alternate. The Judges were Mrs. Anne Jordan, Miss Dorothy Dunbar and Rev. James MacKillop.

Miss Marjorie Fuller, student nurse at the Rumford Community Hospital, called on relatives and friends here over the week-end.

Mrs. Hattie Brown is improving from the severe hemorrhages of the nose last week and is able to sit up some each day. Mrs. Clara Knights is working there.

Mrs. Lottie Hemmingway, Mrs. Lula Billings, Mrs. Donald DeShon and daughter, Jacqueline, Mrs. Gertrude Davis, Stephen Davis and Ramona Farnum have all been ill but are improving.

Miss Thelma MacKillop, a student at Gordon College in Boston, is spending her vacation with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and family of Greene were Sunday callers of his mother, Mrs. Hattie Brown.

WOODSTOCK HIGH SCHOOL PRIZE SPEAKING

The W. H. S. prize speaking was held January 26 with the following program:

Music High School Orchestra
I Couldn't Help Laughing

Viva Yates
The Fiddle Told Kenneth Buck
Grandma Keeler

Beatrice Hathaway
Fort Wagner Howard MacKillop
The Last Leaf Eleanor Stanley
Music, Girls' Glee Club

The Committee on Donations
Russell Yates
The Littlest Orphan Helvi Koskela
The Worth of the Jew

James Russell
As the Herons Fly
Margaret Howe
The Imaginary Invalid

Richard Felt
Prizes given were: 1st prize for girls, Helvi Koskela; 2nd prize for girls, Margaret Howe; 1st prize for boys, James Russell; 2nd prize for boys, Russell Yates.

Helvi Koskela was chosen best speaker of the evening.

WOODSTOCK FARM BUREAU

The planning meeting of the Woodstock Farm Bureau was held at the Social Hall on Jan. 25.

The Land Use Project was discussed in the morning with Miss Callaghan.

Dinner was served by Mrs. Gertrude Redman, Mrs. Florence Cushman and Frances Farnum.

The following officers were elected:

Chairman—Mrs. Rena Howe
Vice Chairman—Mrs. Annie Morgan

Sec. and Treas.—Mrs. Miriam McAllister
Clothing—Mrs. Sadie Lakeway
Clothing Assistant—Mrs. Ismay Hathaway

Foods—Mrs. Annie Morgan
Foods Assistant—Mrs. Elsie Bryant

Home Management—Mrs. Anne Jordan
Home Management Assistant—Mrs. Nellie Bowker

4-H Representative—Miss Esther Bean

The subject of the February meeting will be "Short cuts in sewing." Other subjects included in the year's program are, Left-overs in meal planning, Shopping for your money's worth, Color in the kitchen, Dyeing at home, Easier housework, Aids in buying clothes, Christmas cakes and cookies, Christmas suggestions, Woman over 40, and Making the most of your appearance.

It was voted to enter the square meals for health contest.

PERKINS VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Poland's family are having the gripe and tonsillitis, but are very much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Swinton of Portland are rejoicing over a baby girl born Jan. 27.

Callers at Mrs. Arvilla Silver's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swinton, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Silver and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Benson.

Jennie Dunham visited the Nature Club Wednesday.

Walter Bryant visited at Nelson Perham's one day last week.

Norman Perham and Leon A. Poland are cutting wood for Walter Appleby.

Word has been received that Mrs. Jennie Bates Russell of California has passed away.

Raymond Wilson of Farmington has finished work for Alvah Hendrickson.

Mrs. Nelson Perham has been having the gripe but is better at this writing.

MILTON

Mrs. Basha Ackley has returned to her home here after spending several weeks at North Fryeburg.

Mrs. Ella Dyer attended Farm Bureau at Rumford Corner, Saturday. They met with Mrs. Addie Newton.

Miss Ruth Callaghan visited with us for the day. She gave a talk on land use and improving your town and helped plan the meetings for the year. The officers were elected. Everyone enjoyed the dinner consisting of peas, salmon, potatoes, scallop, cabbage salad, dark rolls, bread, apple pudding and coffee. The cost of the meal was 11 cents per person. The next meeting will be held February 21, with Mrs. Addie Newton.

Mrs. Edward Scott and Fred Goggin of Woodfords spent Sunday with Mrs. Scott's niece, Miss Florence Burnham.

Mrs. Florence Merrill of East Bethel spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. Basha Ackley.

James Russell, a freshman at Bryant Pond High School, won the \$5.00 for prize speaking.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Miller and Miss Lois McGuire were supper guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lubert McGuire at West Peru.

Miss Katharine Giroux of North Woodstock spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Miller.

GREENWOOD CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Lauri Tamminen and son of Yarmouth were at George Cole's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan attended the card party at Locke Mills on Friday evening.

Mrs. Anna Hayes is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Estes Yates, at Woodstock.

Oliva Hakala, who is working at Crystal, N. H., was at his home over the week-end.

Mrs. Ruth Hastings of East Bethel called at George Cole's Friday.

Fay Morgan spent last week with her aunt at West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cole were in Norway Friday.

Mrs. Alice Herrick and daughter are visiting friends at Waterford.

Lempi Tamlander of South Paris was at her home here for the week-end.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Barnett of Washington, D. C., are spending some time with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Albert N. Felt.

H. Stanley Andrews, who has been ill with a bad cold is reported as better.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis and Mrs. Flossie Perham, with Mr. and Mrs. George Lister of Locke Mills, attended Pomona Grange installation at Stoneham, Mass., Saturday.

Mrs. Perham was a guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mildred Woodsum, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Laroy Titus of South Paris were Sunday afternoon guests of her father, A. M. Andrews.

Mrs. Ella Sweetser is ill and is at the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Russ.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Perham were at the Rumford hospital Monday evening to see G. W. Q. Perham. Mr. Perham is resting quite comfortably, but his condition is such that it is expected he will have to remain at the hospital for an indefinite time.

The Willing Workers were pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Gayden Davis on Wednesday afternoon.

Sewing and mending were done for the hostess. Dainty refreshments of ice cream bars and fancy cookies, cake and cocoa were served. The next meeting will be Feb. 14 when they will meet with Mrs. Frank Davis for an all day meeting.

ROWE HILL

Osman Palmer has a horse for the winter. He and Mrs. Palmer enjoyed a sleigh ride Saturday.

Frank Hayes is cutting lumber near Indian Pond. Greenwood Libby is working for him.

Lewis Libby has been sick.

Durward Lang sawed wood for Wilmer Bryant recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom of Locke Mills spent the week-end here.

Sunday callers at N. A. Bryant's were Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lang and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ring and family of East Sumner.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. Mary Foster is still confined to her bed, with Miss Irene Foster at home caring for her.

Raymond Foster Jr. and a party of college friends are spending two weeks in town.

Guy Soper is visiting at Norway and New Hampshire for a few days.

Miss Carrie Wight called at school last week.

Rev. John Manter visited with the sick in this neighborhood last week.

Jim Tibbets, who stays at Stevens' camp, was at his home in Walker's Mills a week, sick.

Mrs. Bessie Reynolds has been having a bad cold.

Mrs. Mildred Spinney had the misfortune to fall last week.

Miss Pauline Bean has recovered from her recent illness enough to be at home.

Recent callers at John Nowlin's were Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Lane and daughter of Upton, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Powers of Bear River.

GILEAD

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Paquette have moved into G. D. Daniels' rent.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lapointe and family visited relatives at Milan, N. H., Sunday.

Miss Ellen Peabody spent the week-end with Arlene Donahue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holden and son Raymond were in Norway Monday.

Miss Shirley Cole played on the Alumnae basketball team at Gould Academy Saturday night.

Miss Ruth Gilpatrick visited her mother at Brownfield Sunday.

D. A. Briggette spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cole spent the week-end at Oliver Garey's in Poland.

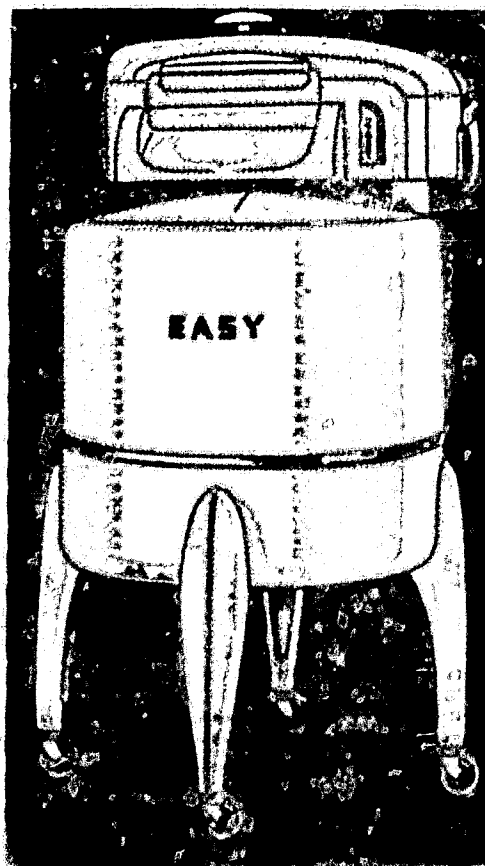
Mr. and Mrs. James Simard of Auburn were in town Sunday.

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SALT PORK	lb. 9c	Old Dutch CLEANSER	can 7c
SLICED LEAN BACON	lb. 19c	WM. PENN MATCHES	6 boxes 17c
ARMOUR'S Boned, Rolled and Tied HAM—whole or half—	lb. 29c	GLENDAL—Red, Firm TOMATOES	No. 2 1/2 can 10c
CUBE STEAK	lb. 27c	CLOVER FARM Oven Baked BEANS	2 tall cans 23c
1 lb. LIVER and 1 lb. BACON	25c	CLOVER FARM M I L K	4 tall cans 27c
ROSE BOWL California MACKEREL	2 cans 19c	CLOVER FARM—Absorbent TOILET TISSUE	4 rolls 25c
RED STEAK		CLOVER FARM TOWELS	roll 10c
SALMON	2 No. 1 cans 43c	—FRESH COFFEE—	
GLENDAL		Clover Farm	1 lb. can 27c
TOILET TISSUE	6 rolls 19c	Green Cup	1 lb. bag 19c
		Red Cup	3 lb. bag 39c
			1 lb. bag 14c

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1940

THE STATE OF THE NATION

The President has submitted a
budget for the coming fiscal year
showing substantial economies.
Nearly every major item, excepting
national defense, was cut. Total
savings, if the budget were ad-
hered to, would amount to \$675-
600,000.

Everybody agrees that there is
drastic need for economy in gov-
ernment. Undoubtedly editorial
pages from Maine to California will
ring with praise and hope. Busi-
ness men and civic bodies galore
will laud the President's action.
Women's clubs and chambers of
commerce have been busy for years
resolving that there should be
economy, and damning the spend-
ing politicians. They, too, are quick
to praise even the faintest sign of
economy. We have all shouted that
economy is the alternative to a
national visit to purgatory.

But what does it all add up to?
Apparently nothing! Within a few
weeks the folks back home will
learn that real economy is not just
for the other fellow after all. They
will learn that the "free money"
they have been promised for man-
ifold local projects is not forth-
coming. Then the stampede will
begin to get noses back in the pub-
lic trough. Tales of woe and hard-
ship will descend on Washington
in an increasing avalanche. Mer-
chants, doctors, lawyers and
thieves will form committees. The
committees will have their pictures
printed in the local paper. They
will be off to Washington for more
money. The rest of the folks stay
at home and cuss the spending poli-
ticians. The slide to financial and
economic purgatory will continue.
Who will care if individual liberty
and savings are left behind?

This is not a pretty picture. It
is the state of the nation.

SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK

Week of Jan. 29, 1940

Grade	Savings Bank	Total	Percent
I	\$1.00	\$1.55	60
II		2.60	65
III	3.00	3.35	50
IV	2.00	3.15	66
	\$6.00	\$10.95	
V		\$1.80	47.8
VI	\$1.00	3.00	66.6
VII	2.00	1.70	44
VIII	1.00	3.55	46.4
	\$4.00	\$9.05	

Fourth and Sixth Grades have
banners.

40 YEARS AGO in NEWS

Jan. 31, 1900

Judge Richard A. Frye died at
his home on Broad Street, at about
11:30 o'clock Sunday morning (Jan.
28, 1900). For more than 40 years
he had practiced his profession at
the corner of Main and Broad
Streets.

MODERN PIONEERS



The SNAPSHOT GUILD

FUN WITH LIGHT EFFECTS



Here, all the light comes from the right. Try different lighting effects
with a subject such as this. Use the diagrams below as guides in placing
your photo lights.

HALF the fun of taking snap-
shots at night is in working
out novel lighting effects. You don't
need a lot of lighting equipment,
either. Two photo bulbs in card-
board reflectors, and a light-toned
wall for a background—these
enable you to evolve numerous in-
teresting lightings that add value
to your pictures.

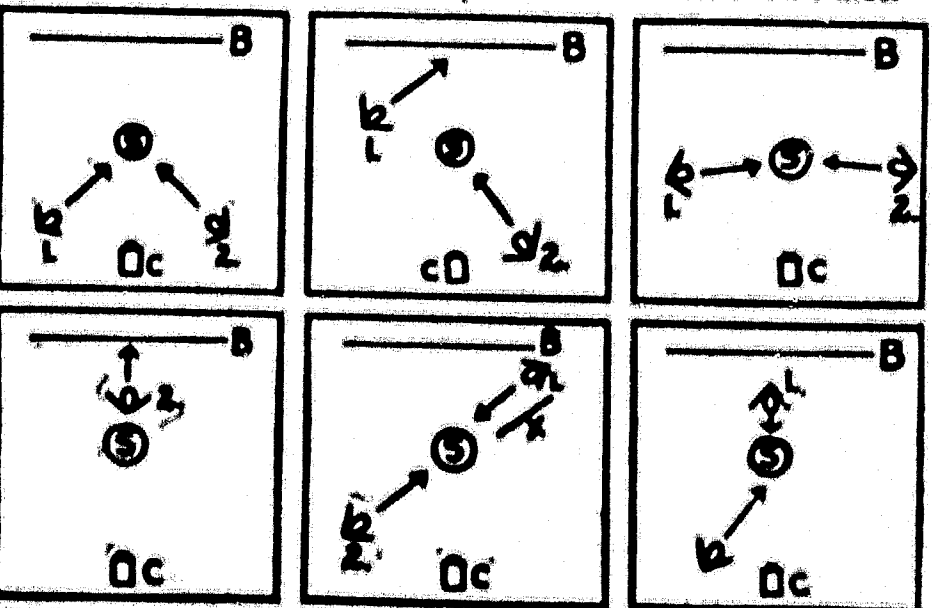
The diagrams below show how
you change the position of your
lights to obtain different effects.
S stands for subject, C for camera,
and B for background. The number
1 indicates a No. 1 photo bulb in
cardboard reflector, and 2 indicates
a No. 2 bulb. These two bulbs,
when in reflectors, are sufficient
for box-camera snapshots on high
speed film.

At left, first row, is the regular
45-degree lighting. Center, a more

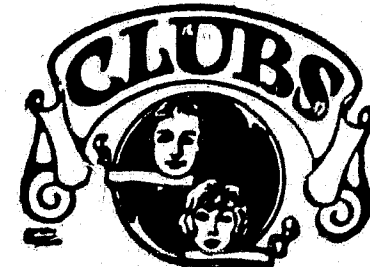
dramatic effect, with one light di-
rected on the background. Right,
a still more striking effect, with a
light on the subject from either
side. Second row, left, a silhouette
effect, with one light behind the
subject and turned toward the wall.
Center, backlighting, with a light
to the right behind the subject.
Note shield "X" which keeps light
from shining into the camera lens.
At right, "halo" lighting, with one
light behind the subject, shining
through the hair.

In taking these shots, keep the
lights the right distance from the
subject, and don't let them shine
into the camera lens. You should
then get good pictures—and you'll
find that careful arrangement of
lights will make them more intense-
ly interesting.

John van Guilder



Phone the Item
AND IT WILL
BE IN THE PAPER



The Noug Jeune Filles Club met
at the home of Miss Arlene Brown
Tuesday evening. Plans for a Val-
entine party were discussed. Com-
mittee to arrange a program for
a joint meeting with the Ladies'
Aid was appointed as follows:
Mrs. Gilbert Brown, Mrs. Sidney
Dyke, and Miss Sylvia Merrill.

Twelve Scouts and one official
were in attendance at the meeting
of the Boy Scouts Monday evening.
The meeting was led by Robert
Greenleaf. Harold Conner, Regi-
nald Godwin and Horace Littlefield
passed the second class knife and
hatchet test, and Harold Conner
passed second class safety. Fire-
men's carries, artificial respiration
and bandaging were practiced and
games were played.

Panther Patrol of the Boy Scouts
will hold a flinch and Chinese chec-
ker party at the Legion Rooms at
7.30 Friday evening.

The Epworth League held a so-
cial at the Methodist Church Tues-
day evening. Refreshments were in
charge of Muriel Hall, Alzena Lord
and Maurice Brooks. The enter-
tainment was arranged by Muriel
Bean, Hope Bean and Herbertina
Norton.

The Weekly Eight Contract Club
met with Mrs. Laurence Lord Tues-
day evening. High scorer was Mrs.
Earl Davis; low was held by Mrs.
Irving Carver.

John P. Butts made high score
at the meeting of the Men's Bridge
Club at his home Tuesday evening.
Wilbur Myers is leading for the
series.

The Ladies Contract Club met
Jan. 26 at the home of Mrs. Viola
Lord. First prize was won by Mrs.
Louis Van Den Kerckhoven and
Mrs. Myron Bryant received the
consolation prize.

The Girl Scout troop met Friday
afternoon at the Legion Rooms.
Badges were presented as follows:
Reader's badge, Betty Warren,
Pauline Philbrick and Barbara
Browne; First Class badge, Betty
Warren; Interior Decorator's
badge, Ruth Garber. The refresh-
ment committee for the next meet-
ing is Isabelle Bennett and Ruth
Garber.

A meeting of the Ladies' Club
was held last Thursday afternoon
at the home of Mrs. F. E. Hanscom.
It was planned to hold the next
meeting at Garland Chapel, preced-
ed by a dinner, the program to be
arranged by Mrs. W. B. Twaddle.
Humorous readings were given by
Principal Philip S. Sayles.

Prize winners at the P. T. A.
whist party at the Legion Rooms
last Thursday evening were Mrs.
Emma Van Den Kerckhoven, Gus
Gallant, Mrs. Bert Grover and Al-
len Walker. Leaders for the series
are: first, Mrs. Thomas LaRue and
Bert Grover; second, Mrs. Robert
Lord and Frank Hunt.

About 30 members attended the
supper and meeting of the Men's
Brotherhood at the Methodist
Church Monday evening. Officers
elected were: president, Kenneth
Brooks; vice-president, Wendell
Gibbs; secretary, Charles Free-
man; treasurer, Herbert I. Bean.
It was voted to purchase a ping
pong set. Committee for a joint
entertainment committee with oth-
er church organizations is: Charles
Freeman, Omer Drummond and M.
A. Gordon. Program included vi-
olin selections by Harry Inman
and a talk on his Western Trip and
Visit to Yellowstone Park by H. I.
Bean. Committees for the next
meeting are: supper, Norman Hall,
Ralph Berry and Alfred Brown;
entertainment, Omer Drummond,
Maurice Brooks and Irving Brown.

Mrs. Ralph Young entertained
at a dinner party, followed by
bridge at her home Saturday eve-
ning. Mrs. Perley Flint and
Freeland Clark won the prizes for
high scores and Mrs. Lucion Lit-
tlehale and Perley Flint received
the consolation prizes. Those pres-
ent were Mr. and Mrs. Lucion Lit-
tlehale, Mr. and Mrs. Perley Flint,
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Chapman, Mr.

GOULD TAKES ALUMNI 48-36

In a well-played and keenly
fought game Saturday evening
Gould Academy downed its Alumni
48-36. Both teams played well
and uncovered many nice plays.
In the middle of the first period the
undergraduates got away to a
slight lead and were never over-
taken. The first period ended 14
to 8 and outscoring the old-timers
12-8 in the second period left the
winners with a 26-16 lead at the
half. The last half was bitterly
contested but the game proved to
be on ice as the Alumni could do
no better than match the Gould
team's points. Wentzel and Palm-
er each scored 18 points for Gould
while Parker Brown led the Alum-
ni pack with 14.

GOULD (48)			
Wentzel, rf	6	6	18
Young, rf	0	0	0
Hutchins, lf	2	0	4
Palmer, c	6	6	18
Tucker, rg	0	1	1
Clough, rg	0	1	1
Swan, lg	3	0	6
	17	14	48

ALUMNI (36)			
Smith, rf	1	2	4
Brown, lf	7	0	14
Allen, c	2	2	8
Holt, c	0	0	0
Stanley, rg	1	0	2
Wentzel, rg	2	2	6
Saunders, lg	2	0	4
Davis, lg	0	0	0
	15	6	36

By periods: G. A. 14 26 36 48
Alumni 8 16 24 36

Time: 4 eights. Referee: Spinks

GOULD (26)			
E. McMillan	4	1	9
K. Davis	2	1	4
V. Davis	6	1	13

ALUMNAE (19)			
S. Cole	2	1	4
M. Freeman	3	1	7
M. Clough	2	1	4
S. Bird	1	1	2
N. Jodrey	1	1	2
G. Stanley			
R. Davis			
V. Dyke			
V. Smith			
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Girls' Game

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AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY NEWS

GEO. A. MUNDT UNIT, NO. 81

The American Legion auxiliary met at the home of Past President Marjorie McAllister, Thursday evening, Jan. 25. Owing to the illness of Carrie French, chaplain and Alta Meserve, first vice president, the meeting was opened without form. There were nine members present. Marie Naimy was appointed to fill the second vice president's chair for the remainder of this year.

A letter was read from Geneva Roberts, State Rehabilitation chairman, thanking the auxiliary for their recent contribution. She stated that playing cards were purchased for the veterans at Togus.

Seals for the benefit of crippled children were discussed. It was decided to sell the seals among the members. This has been the custom for the past four years.

Frances Bennett, Welfare chairman, gave an interesting report on her work. She also stated that shoes are being repaired for welfare use and that the layettes were nearing completion.

The supper committee on the Chamber of Commerce met at Mrs. Lurvey's Saturday evening. This committee consists of Olive Lurvey, chairman, Zelma Chapman, Irene Luxton, and Jane Van Den Kerckhoven. A good menu has been planned. This will be held Feb. 6 at the Legion rooms.

The girl scouts held a meeting at our rooms Friday evening under the able leadership of their captain, Mabel O'Brien.

The Auxiliary is to be the guest of the Legion, Feb. 7, for an oyster stew supper. This invitation includes the families of both the Auxiliary and Legion. Many thanks to the Legion for their kind invitation.

Plans were made to celebrate the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington jointly at the home of Mrs. Carrie French, Feb. 22. This meeting will be in charge of Mrs. French, who is our Americanism chairman.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 7 at the Legion rooms. This will be a joint meeting with the Legion.

JACKSON-SILVER UNIT, NO. 89

February for the American Legion and its Auxiliary means we must "foster and perpetuate a One Hundred Percent Americanism." Jackson-Silver Unit is planning to do her utmost to teach all, who will come and listen, more about America and our flag.

The Public Americanism Program at the Bryant Pond Gymnasium Saturday evening February 24 is free to everyone. All are invited to attend and enjoy an inspiring program as arranged by Ina Smith and her committee. The State Commander, Llewellyn Fortier of Augusta, has promised to attend, bringing a well known speaker who will especially interest the men. It's a pleasure to announce the Pioneer Club Band of Paris are giving of their time and talent to help make this an unforgettable evening.

The regular meeting on February 16 at Legion Home is in charge of the Americanism chairman and there will be a program, special guests and special refreshments by the February birthdays.

President Annie Kimball held a benefit card party at the Legion Hall, Thursday eve., the proceeds to be used in financing the Patriotic program.

The Post was exceedingly happy with the big turnout at their public whist party, Friday evening, Jan. 25. Ten tables were at play. High scores were won by Cecil Maxim of So. Paris and Florence Howe. Consolation prizes were given E. L. Dunham of Greenwood and Bertha Davis.

Refreshments of sandwiches, doughnuts, popcorn and coffee were served by the committee. Comrades Barrett, Morgan and Sprague. A whipped cream cake

BETHEL AND VICINITY

E. A. Herrick was in Portland Wednesday.

Leroy Brown and family were in Fryeburg Sunday.

Mrs. Ellen Littlehale is confined to her home with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett spent Sunday at East Oxford.

Seigfroy Rancourt of Lewiston was in town one day this week.

Mrs. Carroll P. Bailey and Little son came home from Lewiston Sunday.

Miss Edna Young was the weekend guest of Miss Ethel Jodrey at Portland.

Mrs. Alice Cummings of South Paris is working for Mrs. C. P. Bailey.

Miss Margaret Gallant of Norway was at her home here over the week-end.

Mrs. Stanley Wentzell, who has been at Kennebago two weeks, returned home Saturday.

Walter Inman and son of West Paris spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Inman.

Mrs. Herman Merrill and baby Florence went to their home at West Bethel Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Crockett spent a few days last week in South Paris and Norway visiting relatives.

Miss Beatrice Brooks of Pownal was a guest of Leroy Brown and family over the week-end.

Maynard Austin came home from the U. of M. Wednesday to spend the remainder of the week.

Mrs. Milton Pratt is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reny, in Portland.

Mrs. Henry Boyker and daughters, Corinne and Marilyn, spent the week-end in Long Island, N. Y.

Mrs. Chase of Colebrook, N. H., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Bean, has returned home.

The East seems to be emerging from an unusual period of steady cold weather. While extreme temperatures have not been common, frost was reported to be five feet down in the ground and still going deeper as the below zero nights continued. Snow in Georgia and disastrous freezes in Florida were headline news of the past 10 days.

SOUTH PARIS HERE WEDNESDAY

The real battle of the season will be played at Bethel on Wednesday when the "Blue and Gold" will be fighting with their backs to wall in an effort to get back into the running for the Western Maine Conference Championship. The visitors, South Paris High, now hold the lead by half a game, due to their sensational victory over Gould at South Paris earlier in the season. South Paris is still undefeated while the local quintet aside from dropping the 31-30 game to Paris was soundly trounced at Gorham last week. The boys seem to be recovering from their slump, which was so evident at Gorham, and hope to put up a good battle against their conference rivals. A victory for Paris means the Conference championship while a win for Gould puts the two teams in a tie provided they can both win their remaining conference games.

This game should be a great drawing card and the Gould management is expecting a full house at William Bingham Gymnasium on Wednesday. A great crowd is expected from South Paris to urge their undefeated quintet on to the Conference crown. The local team will be in there fighting every minute to get back into the race again and they feel they can make a real battle out of it.

The preliminary game will start at 7:15 with Gould's undefeated girls' team seeking another victory over the Paris basket tossers.

made and donated by Evelyn Barrett was sold and \$1.65 was given to the Americanism chairman. Community singing was enjoyed till a late hour with Charlie Ryserson at the organ. There were guests from Norway, South Paris, West Paris and Greenwood. Everybody reported an exceedingly good time. Another card party, Feb. 8.

Regular meeting is Friday eve., Feb. 2.

A WORLD OF FOOD

by MARJORIE THORP



WE WILL PAY \$5.00 FOR EACH STRANGE FOOD FACT SUBMITTED AND USED. ADDRESS, A WORLD OF FOOD 406 TENTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y.

Diamond-Backed Turtle Saved by U. S. Fisheries

Diamond-backed terrapins, headed for total extinction a few years ago, apparently have been saved as a species through the efforts of the U. S. bureau of fisheries, according to the Washington Evening Star.

In the gay nineties this reptile was a symbol of sinfully extravagant living. Such high prices were paid that all the sounds, estuaries and swamps along the south Atlantic coast were scoured for the creatures. By the turn of the century they were fabulously scarce.

The demand dropped off with prohibition. This probably saved the terrapin, since it gave a breathing spell and an opportunity for the government biologists to get the race on a secure footing again. Up to date more than 125,000 young have been shipped from the bureau of fisheries station at Beaufort, S. C., for restocking the salt marshes of the southern states. The brood stock of the station, most of which was born in captivity during the past 15 years, consists of 570 males and more than 2,000 females.

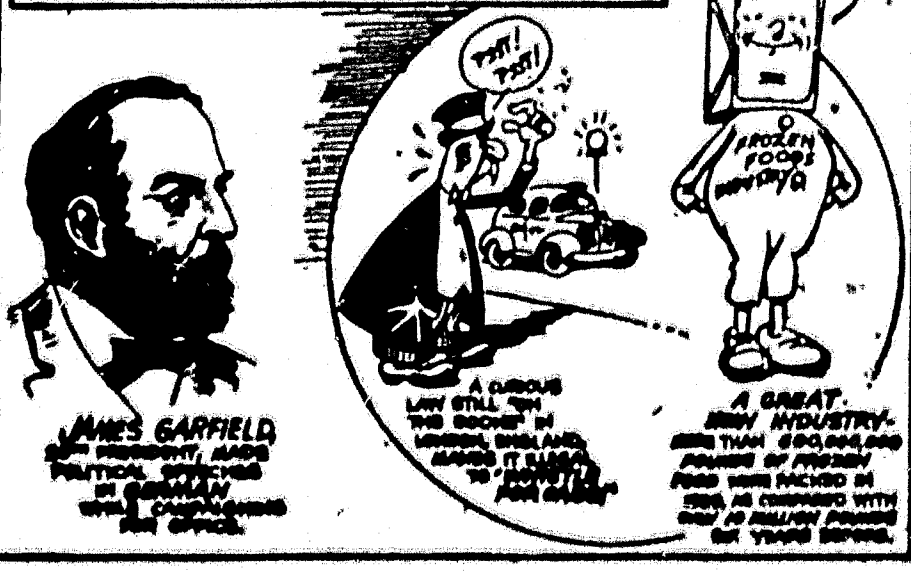
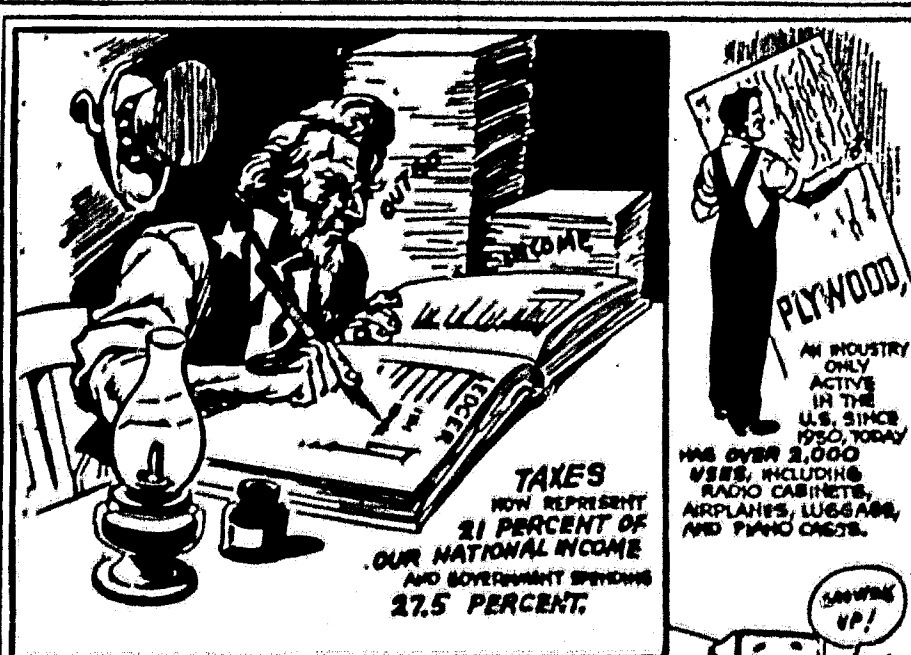
New methods of incubation devised by Dr. H. F. Prytherch promise a considerably larger production in the future.

Canada's Status
Canada, like Australia, New Zealand and South Africa, is a self-governing part of the British empire or Commonwealth of Nations. She pays no taxes to the mother country and is not bound to render her military help in time of war. Her governor-general is appointed by the king on the advice of the Canadian ministry, and has a theoretical veto power over legislation. The supreme judicial authority of the British empire is the judicial committee of the Privy council in London, before which appeals may be brought (in the form of a petition to the crown) from consular courts and courts of vice admiralty and from the courts of India and every British dominion. India has a limited amount of self-government with two native legislative chambers. Other portions of the empire consist of crown colonies and protectorates.

Eternal City

Rome was known as the Eternal City among the ancient Romans, because the people thought that no matter what happened in the world, no matter how many other empires might rise and fall, Rome would go on forever. In Virgil's Aeneid Jupiter tells Venus that he will give the Romans an eternal empire.

THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE



PERFECT ATTENDANCE IN VILLAGE SCHOOLS

Following are pupils of the Bethel village schools having perfect attendance for the past six weeks.

Grade I — Elmer Bean, Gerald Harrington, Laurice Lord, Alberta Olson, Viola Olson.

Grade II — Shirley Andrews, Beverly Collins, Nancy Cummings, Edward Gallant, Leland Kimball, Ole Olson, Arlene Brown.

Grade III — Laurence Bennett, Ruth Bumpus, Lee Carver, Paul Croteau, Jerrold Davis, Richard Douglass, Eleanor Gurney, Rodney Harrington, Earl McAllister, Cornelius Merrill, John Naimy, William Naimy.

Grade IV — David Bennett, James Browne, Lorraine Collins, Wilma Croteau, Earl Cummings, Robert Deegan, Leona Kimball, William O'Brien, Winnifred Skillings, Edwin Swain Jr., Laurence Waterhouse, Theodore Young.

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Grade VIII — Lillian Cash, Lillian Coburn, Louis Cross, Phyllis Daye, Beatrice Forbes, Margaret Hanscom, Robert Kellogg, Edward Little, Marilyn Marshall, Alice Pierce, Kathleen Skillings, Ruel Swain.

Those not absent or tardy for the half year are: Gerald Harrington, Laurice Lord, Alberta Olson, Viola Olson, Shirley Andrews, Nancy Cummings, Edward Gallant, Leland Kimball, Ole Olson, Arlene Brown, Guy Swan, Harlan Blake, Herbert Lyon, Janet Palmer, Parker Daye, Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven, Arlene Potter, Carolyn Bryant, Pearl Daye, John Greenleaf, Eleanor Kimball, Marion Lapham, Frederick Pinkham, Doris Waterhouse, Priscilla Carver, Lawrence Kimball, Howard Lapham, Patricia O'Brien, Luella Taylor, Margaret Hanscom, Lillian Cash, Marilyn Marshall, Phyllis Daye, Robert Kellogg, Alice Pierce.

Cabinet Makers' Work

From Cradle to Coffin

The scope covered by the work of Chester county, Pa., cabinet makers was literally from the cradle to the coffin. The daybooks are filled with orders for these two articles, which with that other symbol of man's recumbency, the bed, seems to have been the most popular furniture of the day. In between, of course, were the various articles which a man used and from which he drew a large measure of comfort during his earthly existence, writes David Stockwell in "American Collector." There were chairs, tables for dining and other purposes, chests of drawers for storing his clothes, desks for his accounts and letters, tall clocks to measure the passing of time, and sundry items that filled the home of the Eighteenth and early Nineteenth centuries. All these were made, and made well, by the cabinet makers of Chester county.

According to the records, however, it was late in the Eighteenth century before any craftsman of this section actually styled himself cabinet maker. The reason is not far to seek if one remembers that Chester county had no large centers of population at the time.

There was no courthouse in Goshen and the town of West Chester was not only unincorporated, but consisted of a little group of houses at a crossroads known as Turk's Head. Through the hills and hollows of the county, every township, hamlet or tiny cluster of houses had its own group of artisans. These were a cobbler, a tailor, a potter, a wheelwright, a joiner, a whitesmith, a blacksmith, and possibly, if the farmers were prosperous enough, a silversmith and a cabinet maker.

EAST AND WEST

TALBOT MUNDY

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CHAPTER I

Moses Lafayette O'Leary tossed his soiled pith helmet to a coolie. Sweet streamed down his almost black face from a mass of black hair that curled with quite unoriental vigor. He looked like a vaudeville Irish version of a Hindu without a turban. He squinted toward the setting sun. The Kadur River, where it circled the city wall, was blood-red.

"Blood!" he remarked. "If I was superstitious—"

He entered Captain Carl Norwood's tent. Norwood's native servant objected. O'Leary smote the servant. He removed a whiskey bottle, two long tumblers and a siphon from the ice-box at the rear, and came out winking at Sergeant Stoddard, who was shirt-sleeved, sweating, muscular and thirsty.

"Caught you!" said Stoddard. O'Leary grinned. "All you're fit to catch is hell and malaria. I'm taking pity on you. Here." They sat, on cases of surveyors' instruments, facing each other. O'Leary observed:

"As a sergeant of sappers, you're a sap sergeant. You believe you're here to find out why the Kadur River is all silted up. As if nobody knew it. You'll sweat. You'll wade. You'll work. You'll catch diseases; and you'll draw your pay, if you live. Pretty soon now you'll be sent home on a troop-ship to tell the English in the pubs how you'd rule India if you was commander-in-chief. You'd look handsome in a cocked hat."

"Kid yourself you know a lot, don't you?" said Stoddard. "This is good whiskey."

"Sure I know a lot. I'm three years. You're only what's left of one, and while at that, I draw one-third your pay for using three times your brains. You only know what you're told, all trips and army regulations. Mindset. Mine's foresight."

"You're like all Eurasians," said Stoddard. "You'd bet on all three horses in a three-horse race, and then set yourself up as a clairvoyant, along of having picked the winner. The secret of why the Kadur River has silted up is like a dog's bone that he buries in sight of half the county. The priests have a diamond mine, and they're critics of shahit. They dig by day. Come night-time, they've been dumping clay into the river since Noah's Deluge."

"Don't you take the Scriptures in vain," said O'Leary. "Noah was a saint, which is more than you are. Stick to your river survey. Watch out that the dam don't break and learn you what a deluge is. Your job is to work with a dumpy and tape and a couple of poles, and set down figures to be stuck away in a file. My job's to look for the reasons of things. I'm good at it."

"I'll admit," said Stoddard, "you could find a drink in the Sahara. What'd you kid yourself you're here to find out?"

"I might risk giving you another drink if you could tell me where the Captain's heading for this minute."

"Easy," said Stoddard. "Pass the bottle. Captain Norwood is on his way to the Residency to report arrival."

O'Leary kept his hand on the bottle. "What else?"

"Nothing else. Regulation routine. In case you don't happen to know it, and you're an ignorant savage, a Resident at the court of a Maharajah is an Army officer who's no good at soldiering. So they put him in the political. As a rule he's no good at that either. He's a sort of ambassador. He attends functions, and he keeps out of trouble when

ever he can. They tell me this Resident is a dabbler at doing nothing and keeping it wrapped in cellophane."

O'Leary passed the bottle. "Well, you get your drink, but you don't deserve it. I'll bet my month's pay against yours that the Captain's in trouble already. Trouble's what he came here for. Did you ever know Norwood not to get what he's after?"

"There's someone else after something," said Stoddard, staring over the rim of his tumbler, beyond O'Leary. "I'll bet you know who he is. And I'll bet you know what he wants. You bleeding ferret. What is it?"

"You'd better scram," O'Leary answered. "Secrets and sergeants don't mix good."

Stoddard snorted. "There you go, murdering the King's English, as well as not minding your own business. You picked up the word scram in the movies and you think it's clever. The trouble with you is, Moses, that you try to talk too many languages, but you can't shoot a bee-line in one of them. Talk English."

"I will," said O'Leary. "You scram. That gentleman who's making you so curious is going to have to talk English too, on account of my dignity."

"Who is he?"

"He's the oil-can."

"Meaning what?" asked Stoddard. "He looks greasy enough from the heat, but you haven't looked at him, so you didn't mean that."

"All right, I'll educate you. After that, you scram and learn English. I'm keeping him waiting of purpose."

"On account of your dignity?"

"No. My dignity is like that bottle nose of yours: it's been punched a time or two, but there it is. It's inseparable and I'll be buried with it. I'm keeping him waiting on account of his indignity that needs a bit of taking notice of, so it won't be no secret from him. His name is Noor Mahlam. No, not ban-lamb. Mahlam. He's the oil-can that goes around dripping the lies into the local works to make 'em grind good, and smell rotten and sound scandalous."

"Reporter for the local paper?" asked Stoddard.

"No. He's from the underworld district."

"I want nothing, Mr. O'Leary."

"You're a lucky bloke!"

"I came to enquire if I can be useful. If I could have the ear of your officer—"

"I'm it. I'm both ears. I'm his teacher, his keeper, his nurse, his confidential secretary, his father confessor and information man."

"Sir, if you are truly in Captain Norwood's confidence—"

"Try me. Him and me are like the two sides of a rupee. And it's a two-headed rupee. He'd believe me even if I was to tell him you're honest."

"I could reciprocate, Mr. O'Leary. There are many people to whom it is highly important to know what Captain Norwood is in Kadur."

"Have you heard about the survey of the Kadur River?"

"Yes, Mr. O'Leary, but nobody believes that."

"Well, it's the fact. We're here to run a survey of the Kadur River."

"Ah! But of what else than the river? I am commissioned to offer rupees fifty for correct information."

"And me a poor man! If I weren't a good Christian and afraid to take the name of the Lord in vain, I'd be critical of your conscience. D'you think it's decent to insult my poverty with an offer of fifty rupees?"

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"He wants news, you sapper. He wants to know why Captain Norwood is in Kadur."

"You'll tell him?"

"Bet your boots and medals I'll tell him."

"Will you give him a drink?"

"I will not. For the sake of a harmless innocent like you I don't mind letting down my dignity at times. But I wouldn't steal Captain Norwood's whiskey for that buzzard."

"He doesn't look like a buzzard. He looks fat and good natured."

Moses Lafayette O'Leary took a private swig from the bottle inside Norwood's tent, and then put it away in the chop-box. With his hands in his trouser pockets for the sake of dignity, he strode toward the tree beneath which Noor Mahlam sat wondering how to broach the subject of his meditations. He did not appear to be wondering. His black turban only partly concealed a philosopher's forehead. His silver-brimmed spectacles enhanced the mellow mildness of intelligent dark brown eyes. His nose was fleshy and good humored. His black beard and moustache were well cared for. They concealed something. His mouth was not in evidence. He arose to greet Moses O'Leary and, judging by the movement of his beard, he smiled, but the smile was invisible. At close quarters it was evident that his bulk was mostly fat, not muscle. He fitted flabbily into a bazaar-made black alpaca European suit.

"How d'you do, Noor Mahlam."

"How do you do, sir."

Moses O'Leary straightened himself slightly and drew his right hand from his pocket. He had to live up to being addressed as "sir" by a man of means from the underworld district. But it stirred his alertness. His suspicion, and more than that, was already wide awake. His voice hardened a trifle:

"Sit down, Noor Mahlam. Hot, isn't it? No, I'll stay on my feet. I've business to attend to. Can't spare you more than a minute or two."

"How did you know my name, sir?" asked Noor Mahlam in silky accents that suggested there was something else than silk beneath it was a quiet agreeable voice, unless one listened to it too attentively.

Moses O'Leary smiled with the pride of the expert who needs no praise to justify his self-esteem:

"It's my job to know things. Check me. You were a lawyer. You served a term in prison in Cawnpore for cheating a client. You were disbarred. And now you're cheating everybody. Am I right?"

"Sir, I'm a public relations counselor. It is a new profession, in India."

"It's a new name for an old game," said O'Leary. "But you've come to the right place. I'm the publicity man of this surveying party. What do you want?"

Noor Mahlam looked bland and innocent. His eyes were as kind as the milk of the moon, but his mouth remained hidden. He wiped the sweat off his face with a handkerchief, then removed his spectacles and wiped them too, before he answered:

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before I'll hesitate. Besides, I don't think I need you."

"Mr. O'Leary, I think you underestimate my value. There is nothing that I don't know about the politics of Kadur. I am the trusted informant of people in very high places."

"High?" said O'Leary. "In the magistrates' courts they call 'em low places. You can go look for another customer. Captain Norwood's decent."

"Ab, but how about you?"

"I know how to take care of myself. What'd you take me for? A tourist?"

"Sahib, I can tell you actual, authentic facts about the palace."

The word "sahib" was a mistake. It stiffened O'Leary's feeling of superiority. It spurred him to contemptuous offensive tactics:

"I don't believe you. What's new at the palace?"

Noor Mahlam chuckled. It was like the gurgle of dirty water and it swallowed the silk of his voice. Even his gesture changed. He became as hoarse as an auctioneer encouraging a doubtful bidder:

"Sahib, there is newness at the palace such as never before was! There is a godsend in the guest-house. She has money, and a niece worth more than money. Oh, such loveliness! And oh, such ill temper! The aunt is never satisfied unless she is humiliating someone. She humiliates even His Highness. And the niece is never happy unless she can be as kind as her aunt is cruel."

"Why are they there?" asked O'Leary.

"It is a mystery. Nobody knows."

"Who wants to know?"

"Ah, sahib you must not ask what I may not tell you."

"I'll bet a month's pay," said O'Leary, "that the temple Brahmins have sent out a call for information."

"Would it make any difference to you, Mr. O'Leary, where the two hundred rupees came from, supposing you had it?"

"Two fifty might tempt me. I'd think it over."

"Even that price might not be too high for exact information as to why Captain Norwood is in Kadur; and also why Mrs. Harding and Miss Lynn Harding are here at the same time. There is some connection. What is it?"

"I'll find out," said O'Leary.

"And you will sell me the information?"

"I'll think it over. If I can't find a higher bidder, maybe you and I can do business. You'd better watch out for me. I'll take a stroll through the bazaar later on."

"Very well, Mr. O'Leary. My office is—"

"What do I care where your office is? D'you think I'd let myself be seen calling on you? You keep a delicate lifting. You've plenty of spies. Find out where I go, and follow, and bring your money with you. Three hundred."

"But sahib, we agreed to—"

"I said three hundred. You'd better go before I'm seen talking to you. Captain Norwood might be back any minute. If he should ask me who you are I'd have to tell him, and it wouldn't sound nice. Him and me never lie to each other."

—To be continued—

TYPEWRITERS

THE CITIZEN OFFICE

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

Whereas the Bethel Grange, No. 56, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Maine, and located at Bethel, County of Oxford, State of Maine, by its mortgage deed dated September 21, 1923, conveyed to Bethel Savings Bank, a corporation established by law and located at said Bethel, a certain lot or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Bethel Village, in said Bethel, on the northerly side of Spring Street, and known as the Pattee Hall property, and bounded as follows: beginning at a stone post at the southeast corner of the Bisbee store lot, so called, on said street, thence northerly on line of said store lot to line of land formerly of Fred B. Hall, now of Jesse B. Chapman; thence easterly and northerly on line of land of said Chapman and line of land of Elizabeth Griffin to Sandling Brook, so called; thence southerly on said brook to the northeast corner of land formerly of Alanson Tyler, now deceased, being the Gibson place, so-called; thence on the westerly line of said Tyler land to said street; thence westerly on said street to the point of beginning; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, the said Bethel Savings Bank, claims a foreclosure of said mortgage. Dated January 30, 1940.

Bethel Savings Bank

by Fred F. Bean

Its treasurer duly authorized.

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STATE OF MAINE
To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named:
At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said January. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of February, A. D. 1940, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Herbert C. Rowe, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Alice R. Rowe as executrix of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Alice R. Rowe, the executrix therein named.

Maudie O. Vashaw, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Elizabeth E. Vashaw as administratrix de bonis non with the Will annexed, with bond, presented by Elizabeth E. Vashaw.

Thomas W. Vashaw, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Elizabeth E. Vashaw as administratrix of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Elizabeth E. Vashaw, widow.

Alcena E. Grover, late of Bethel, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Daniel R. Smith and Ruby S. Cunningham, executors.

Silas F. Peaslee, late of Upton, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, executor.

Carl Morton Haasmann, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the Confirmation of Abbie H. C. Finck and Portland National Bank of Portland, Maine, as Trustees under the Will of said deceased, for the benefit of Abbie H. C. Finck, to act without bond; presented by Abbie H. C. Finck and Portland National Bank.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty.
7 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.

NOTICE
The subscribers hereby give notice that they have been duly appointed executors of the estate of Carl Morton Haasmann late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Abbie H. C. Finck, Bethel, Me.
The Portland National Bank, Portland
Jan. 16th, 1940

NOTICE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Edmund S. Muskie of Rumford, in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, has made application to the Maine Board of Bar Examiners for examination for admission to the bar of the State of Maine, at the session of the Board to be held at Bangor, Maine on the first Wednesday of February, A. D. 1940.

EDWARD W. ATWOOD
Secretary of the Board

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SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



WEST BETHEL

Frederick Grover was at his home over the week-end.

Alfred Lovejoy went to Upton Sunday for the remainder of the winter, where he has employment clerking for the Brown Co.

Ernest Perkins was at his home Sunday from Wentworth Location, N. H.

Marshall Rolfe and Shirley Gilbert left Monday for Miami, Fla., where they have employment on a construction project for the rest of the winter.

Osmond Hunt, who has been visiting at the home of Laurence Lord, returned to his home in Newburyport, Mass., Saturday.

Mrs. Carlton Saunders, Raymond Saunders and Clayton Penley were recent visitors at Mrs. Carmen Onofrio's in Andover.

Mrs. C. M. Bennett and daughters were in town calling on friends recently.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Rex and Ernest Martin of Norway called at R. L. Martin's recently.

Glenwood Libby, Rowe Hill, called at Beryl Martin's Saturday night.

Mrs. Beryl Martin had two teeth extracted recently.

Mrs. R. K. Hanscom, Locke Mills, visited Mrs. Beryl Martin one day week.

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Lester Cole plowed Beryl Martin's driveway Sunday, the 28th.

Mrs. Mary Mills visited with her mother one day last week.

SONGO POND

Leslie Kimball was in Locke Mills and Bryant Pond Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crockett and daughter Thelma of Locke Mills visited with her aunt, Mrs. Mae Grindle, Saturday afternoon.

Ralph Kimball has returned from a trip of a few days.

Miss Helen Kimball has returned home after a visit with friends at Gorham, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Grindle called at Elmer Saunders' Sunday.

Miss Priscilla York is working at the home of Sumner Bean. She spent the week-end at her uncle's, Seldon Grover's.

Wallace Brown has employment on the WPA project in Bethel.

George Brown was a caller at Hollis Grindle's Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Brown called on Mrs. Mae Grindle Sunday evening.

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SOUTH ALBANY

H. E. Hill was calling on friends in this place Sunday, taking supper at Roy Wardwell's.

Ivan Kimball was in Bethel Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball and Alice Andrews were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell Sunday evening.

Friends of Howard Allen are very sorry to hear that he has been very ill with pneumonia. He is a patient at the Maine General Hospital in Portland.

January has certainly been a beautiful, clear, cold, windy month. Nearly everyone in this section is busy working in the woods.

Arthur Wardwell and Ivan Kimball were in Norway Monday night. Leon Kimball has been having a bad cold.

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CENTER LOVELL

Eudora Bedard
Eudora Bedard, youngest daughter of Mrs. Bernice Theriault, passed away Friday, at the Hospital in Portland after a few weeks illness. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from her late home. Interment was at the Center Lovell cemetery.

The Diamond Match Co. have a portable mill at No. 4, on the Fern Drive road, and are logging there. Leland Wilson is driving team. Urban Thompson is working there. Mrs. Dixon has finished work for Benjamin Russell and is working at Fryeburg for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Eastman are staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Eastman, at Sabattus. He is driving his father's horses, hauling lumber from the Clinton Milliken lot.

Theona Durgin was in town over the week-end to attend the funeral of Eudora Bedard.

NORTH LOVELL

Eudora Coleman and Sargent Coleman Jr. spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bachelder.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Harriman and sons, Robert and David, also Mr. Harriman's mother, Mrs. Ella Harriman, took Sunday dinner at Joy Inn in Lewiston.

Walter Laroque spent Monday evening with his daughter Ursula, who is employed at Whittier's Restaurant in Norway.

Del Gullford of Norway and Harry Andrews of East Stoneham were Sunday callers at Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bachelder's.

Callers at Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McKeen's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown and children, Margaret and Malcolm, of Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mann of East Stoneham.

Miss Porter, the Health Nurse, has been in town this week.

MARSHALL—RAYNES

(Bangor Daily News)

Miss Elizabeth Raynes of this city and Richard E. Marshall of Bethel were married Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride. Rev. Arthur M. Little, retiring pastor of the Hammond Street Congregational Church, read the double ring service.

Miss Raynes is the adopted daughter of Miss Lillie B. Raynes of 27 Pier Street and Mr. Marshall is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Marshall of Bethel.

The bride was lovely in a gown of brown velvet and carried a bouquet of yellow roses. Miss Doris Bullard was bridesmaid. She was attractive in maroon silk crepe and carried a Colonial bouquet. Edward Robertson of Bethel was best man.

Mrs. Charles E. Tuttle, organist of the Hammond Street Church, played the wedding music, and the house was attractively decorated with palms and gladioli.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for a few friends and the immediate families, and refreshments were served.

The bride was graduated from Gould Academy and the Eastern Maine General School of Nursing. Mr. Marshall is also a graduate of Gould Academy and is now associated with his father in the lumber business.

After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall will reside in Bethel.

HANOVER

Mishemokwa Temple, Pythian Sisters, held their regular meeting Friday afternoon with 17 members and one visitor present. All officers were in their chairs, which was quite an unusual occurrence, especially in the winter months. As this was the officers meeting, after the usual routine of business, a short program was put on by them. A 12.30 lunch preceded the meeting. A sunshine box was sent to Miss Georgia Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders attended the joint installation of Evergreen Temple and Fraternal Lodge Monday evening at Bryant Pond.

Mrs. James Coady is still under the doctor's care, having a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. William Swan are gaining a little each day. A trained nurse, Miss Bernice Clark, is attending them with Miss Katherine Elliott helping.

Miss Georgia Abbott is recovering from her recent fall. Mrs. Proof of Rumford is caring for her.

C. F. Saunders attended a dinner and meeting at the DeWitt Hotel, Lewiston, Tuesday, held for the Agents of the National Grange Mutual Liability Insurance Co.

Hanover Dowell Co. have purchased the Stowell-McGregor mill at Bethel and will commence operations there soon. They have been working in the West Bethel mill to keep their orders up since the fire.

Mrs. Blanche Worcester is Librarian at the Library for the month of February. New books have been ordered and will be placed on the shelves soon.

RURAL REHABILITATION RENTAL PROGRAM

Do you have a good farm to rent? Would you like to rent it to a farmer who is following approved farm management practices as a participant in the rehabilitation program of the Farm Security Administration?

If the answer to both these questions is "yes," you are invited to list these farms now, for consideration of FSA borrowers, with Ralph M. Simmons, Rural Rehabilitation Supervisor, Luce Block, Farmington, Me.

"Every winter about this time, many borrowers who are forced to move to other farms appeal to us to help them find a farm suitable for their particular needs," Mr. Simmons explained. "We are therefore preparing a list of good farms for rent in Franklin and Oxford County. It will be to the interest of landlords to have their available farms included on this list. It goes without saying that no obligation will be incurred by an owner whose farm is rented as a result of this listing."

Mr. Simmons also pointed out that, because of the trained supervision and encouragement to build up the soil which are given farmers in the rehabilitation program, more than one landlord has expressed the opinion that having one of these FSA borrowers on his farm is a better investment than renting to the average independent tenant.

Farm Management plans worked out by the borrowers with the assistance of the Supervisors are often discussed with the landlord, and improved tenure arrangements are encouraged.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, February 4th

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
9.30 a. m. Sunday School.
11.00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon, "The Tragedy of Saul."
6.30 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pastor
9.45 Church School. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, superintendent.
11.00 Sunday Morning Worship. Special singing by Chorus Choir. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist and director. Subject of sermon, "Repulsive Peter." Regular short business meeting.

6.30 Epworth League.
7.30 Evening Service. Prayer, Poems, Hymns. Short message. Choir rehearsal every Thursday evening from 7 to 8.
For the Lord God is a sun and a shield: the Lord will give grace and glory: no good thing will he withhold from them that walk uprightly. Psalm 84: 11.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Services Sunday morning at 10:45. "Love" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world, on Sunday, Feb. 4.

The Golden Text is: "The love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us" (Romans 5: 5).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "The Lord hath appeared of old unto me, saying, Yea, I have loved thee with an everlasting love: therefore with lovingkindness have I drawn thee" (Jeremiah 31: 3). The Lesson-Sermon also includes passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

Testimonial meetings at 7.30 p. m. on the second Wednesday of each month until May.

BORN

In Portland, Jan. 27, to the wife of Earl Swinton, a daughter.

MARRIED

In Bangor, Jan. 27, by Rev. Arthur M. Little, Richard Marshall of Bethel and Miss Elizabeth Raynes of Bangor.

DIED

In Norway, Jan. 24, Edward J. Sharron, aged 63 years.

In West Paris, Jan. 25, Moses D. Smith, aged 75 years.

In Portland, Jan. 26, Miss Eudora Bedard of Lovell, aged 10 years.

In Gorham, N. H., Jan. 27, William A. Head, aged 65 years.

In South Paris, Jan. 27, Thomas Muirhead, aged 85 years.

In Paris, Jan. 28, Miss Jeannie Hubbard, aged 84 years.

In Norway, Jan. 30, Albert L. Sanborn, aged 64 years.

THE OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH NOTES

EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK:

On Monday, January 29th, the Waterford Church and Society held its annual meeting. In Lovell the Church cabinet met at the parsonage and laid plans for the Lenten Season.

Tuesday, the 30th, is the North Waterford Circle and Supper after which Professor Zerbe was scheduled to give the second in his lecture series. In North Lovell the School house service met to study the 11th chapter of St. Mark.

Wednesday, the 31, Mr. Bull and Mr. Hodges left for Convocation Week in Bangor.

THE COMING WEEK:

The Lovell Young Adults meet Thursday evening at the parsonage. On Friday, the 2nd, the outing club meets in the North Waterford parsonage. Also Friday evening is the Lovell choir rehearsal.

Sunday, the 4th: In the evening there will be a young peoples' rally in Lovell vestry. This is the regular monthly union meeting of the Pilgrim Fellowship of the Parish, but also invited are the young people's groups of Fryeburg, Fryeburg Harbor and Western Maine Larger Parish. Time is 6 P. M.

Monday night, the 5th, is Waterford Men's Club with Geo. A. Coe the speaker of the evening.

Tuesday, Professor Zerbe will be in Waterford. In Lovell the Sewing bee will meet at the parsonage and in the evening the North Lovell Service.

Wednesday evening the Waterford Young Adults meet at the Waterford Parsonage.

Thursday, the 8th, is the date for the East Stoneham Circle supper.

Friday, the 9th, a Pilgrim Fellowship Valentine party is planned; it will be in the Lovell vestry. On Saturday the Pilgrim Fellowship Council meets in Lovell.

NORTHWEST BETHEL

Miss Cecil Chapman and Mrs. Christine McCoy have gone to Brooklyn, N. Y. for the rest of the winter.

Mrs. Elmer Stearns is ill at this writing.

Miss Beatrice Stearns is home from Alfred, Maine.

Quite a few in this vicinity are sick with colds.

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On Friday, County Agric Association w of business at South Paris served at noon ing program w ed over by E Bethel, Presi Association. will be A. W. ington, D. C. the Northeast ricultural Adj tion.

SUPER-SHEPA

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